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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
FROM THE OFFICE ACTION

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Applicant : Zhigang Fang, et al.

Application No. : 09/494,877

Filed : January 31, 2000

Title : LOW COEFFICIENT OF THERMAL EXPANSION CERMET COMPOSITIONS

Grp./Div : 1742

Examiner : D. Jenkins

Docket No. : 34098/GTL/S61

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Post Office Box 7068
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September 17, 2001

Commissioner:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office action dated **April 16, 2001** for two month(s) from **July 16, 2001** to **September 16, 2001**.

The fee for extension of time required by 37 CFR § 1.17 is calculated below.

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| LENGTH OF EXTENSION | SMALL ENTITY | LARGE ENTITY | FEE |
| WITHIN FIRST MONTH | \$ 55 | \$110 | \$ |
| WITHIN SECOND MONTH | \$195 | \$390 | \$390 |
| WITHIN THIRD MONTH | \$445 | \$890 | \$ |
| WITHIN FOURTH MONTH | \$695 | \$1390 | \$ |
| WITHIN FIFTH MONTH | \$945 | \$1890 | \$ |

Submitted herewith is a check for \$ **390** to cover the cost of the extension.

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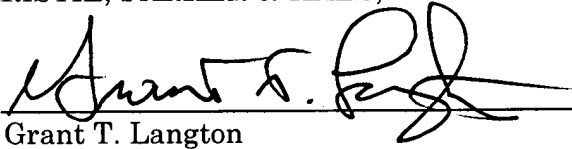
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. **A copy of this letter is enclosed.**

Respectfully submitted,

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